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#### Capital Punishment.

One day in childhood's days I took My father's oversnoes, And on the pond down by the brook. I'd foat them like caroes,

Upon the pond how they would fly!
As I piloted them across.
Then in the sun they soon would dry,
And Pd never tell the "boss." savs: So I hied away towards the field,

My mind on pleasure tent; I tied a string upon each heel, Then round the pend I went. Oh! how I did laugh and shout!
I laughest till l'shed tears.
My mind was tree from every doubt,
And undisturbed by fears.

They plawed the billows—heels before, Far out spon the flood, Then majesticity approached the shore, And anchored in the mud.

The shoes were long, had deep, and w
I filled them full of sand,
And standing on the other side.
I pulled them from the land.

But alas! for me each sprung a lead And sank to rise no more.
But still I pulled—the string were weak,
And broke far from the shore.

The waters round me relied, Towards the wreck my course I bent. I plunged into the waters deep,

Of came my clothes and in I went,

Nor did I dive in vain, With joy my troubled heart did leap, As I sought the shore to gain. I reached the bank and threw thou

And as they lay upon the ground My father hove in sight, He looked at them-he looked at me. I met his stern, relentless eys, And said, like George of the cherry tree, "Father, I cannot tell a He."

"I put in a little too much sand.
I did it just for fun."
But he did not take me by the hand And "thank God for such a son." "You cannot tell a lie," said he; "You cannot, that's a fact; You've ruined my overshees, you see I've caught you in the act,"

Right here I'll let the curtain fall, And hide the sequel from your eyes Before I'd the closing act recall,

A Pioner's Big Life.

An old ploneer was hugging the historic stove in Judge Knox's court room, last evening, and, as usual with the old-timers who visit that temple of justice, was in a reminiscent frame of mind. Though poor now, he had, as a matter of course, been once rich. "I was a leadin' citizen on Muckallamy hill in '52," he said. "In them days I was in the dust-buying busi-

ness. I had my sign out 'S. Compre Oro Acqui, up stairs, you know, and all that sort of thing. I tell ye it takes a smart man to get along in that tricity is to be considered. It will, 'ere trade. Jenkins & Co., was the Muckallamy hill, but it ween't six months afore I'd took half their trade away. I had to tussle to do it. You see the boys was allus very anxious to do well, an'the first that offered the coin made the riffle. Jenkins & Co. was pretty high-toned, an' nsed to wait every night fur that man to go lightning stroke is surrounded by the bring up their money in a handcart. grossest superstitions. In the mind pelled to haul much of it into market bring up their money in a handcart.

I saw my change an' used to be on of the uneducated the sudden death better to strain a point and not spend North Wales district employing the All along the marsh road the farmers hand when the stage came in, an' just shouldered my own colu when the driver throwed it off. Nick of awe and fear.

of a strong man caused by an utterly our crop until it is raised. But we make an unknown agency could not but produce the strongest lealings the few things that is much rather given than received.

the driver throwed it off. Nick of awe and fear.

Menkins was the driver in them days.

He was afterward killed by road agents. Many's the time Nick's Like a Snake.

Children With Skin and Eyes in quantity and quality, but, like the corn, much of it is "spent" before it is stripped. We mean—everybody throwed me down my sack with a

ou say?', The old ploneer looked at thec lerk you say ?', with fixed contempt for a moment, and then, merely saying. "You're a plagued Johnny-Come-Lately, that's what you are! arose and left the court-room.—[Virginia Chronicle.

Cost of the "Know How."

There was much gomption evinced mployed, and all my workmen have ed on another darky an operation re-1 am before the public in a strictly lars for the operation. Meeting the logue occurred :

"Dat was a mighty steep charge of the doctor's for cutting on me tudder day."

"How much did de boss charge? "Well, Julius, he charged me twenv-five dollars." "Go 'long niggah, dat ain't much

"Go 'long niggab, dat ain't much charge."

"Well, he wasn't more dan three or four minutes doin' it, and I think five dollars was al' he oughter took." "Look-aheah, Sam; you don't un-derstan' bout dat thing. You see de boss have to spend a great many these children which contains stateyear learn' how to use dat knife, and t cost him heaps o' money. Now de fact am dat he only charge you five dollars for de operation; de tudder twenty he charge for de know how.

That's it—the time and money to learn the know how.—[Editor's Draw-

er, Harper's Magazine,

how could be be-Tray?

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#### SINKING FORK.

Mr. Park Benjaman has written a letter in which he uges the execution of condemned criminals by the use of a powerful current of electricity items from this section. Mr. Park Benjaman has written a of a powerful current of electricity rather than by the clumsy agency of the rone. In his letter Mr. Benjamin

A flash of lightning, or the electric discharge, occurs in the hundred shousandth part of a second-that is, it is a hundred times more rapid than it is a hundred times more rapid than the rifle ball, and its deadly effects are proportionately quicker. The person struck dies within a period so infinitesimal that it is beyond our imagination. It is a curious fact that Prof. Tyndell once came very nearly demonstrating, in his own person, the deadly yet painleis efficacy of the electric discharge. He states that, while lecturing before a large audience, he accidently touched a wire leading from a battery of fifteen Leyleading from a battery of fifteen Leyden jars. The discharge passed through his body. In discribing his sensation he dwells on the point that, "life was absolutely blotted out for a very sensible interval without a trace hood soon. Will you please remem-ber us kind friends! We want to be

of pain," and he adds that "there can not be a doubt that to a person struck by lightning the passage from life to death occurs without consciousness being in the least degree implicated." It remains now to consider how he electric discharge could be produced and adapted to the purpose of the law. Fortunately, the practical difficulties are few. By means of an introduction or induction coll, the tenement of the electric discharge is so greatly increased that a few cells of a galvanic battery can be made to yield very powerful physical, chemical, and physiological effects. With small experimental apparatus shocks so potent are often produced that the coil at the Royal Polyrechnic Institute in London gives ministure

country.

As the law does not take life for re-As the law does not take life for revenge, but in order to deter others from committing murder, the possible moral influence of death by electricity is to be considered. It will, perhaps, be sufficient to point out.

Mr. Editor, is temperance dead? Cosi Mines Act, is stated that 21 femplars come this way? The harman wales under the age of 13 years are employed. Of girls between the age of 13 and 16 there are 433 employed; of this mouth. They were so very love would love to class the hard of a loth to communicate that which they

lightning stroke is surrounded by the I Sorr

throwed me down my sack with a clean \$400,000 in gold coin in it, and I've chucked her across my shoulder as 'trotted up that there old hill and had every bit o' dust bought up afore Jenkins & Co's bundcart arrived."

"How much fid you say backed up the hill on your shoulder!" asked Judge Knoz's clerk.

"Four hundred thousand offener than less, replied the pioneer, with melancholy pride.

"See here." said the clerk, figuring rapidly, "gold's worth \$18 an onnes, and there's fwelve ounces to the pound. troy weight; that makes a pound worth \$216. Now 216 into 400,000 leaves something over 1,851 pounds, pretty nearly a ton. How was Wells. To these parents have clean and the restrict of the mother of the mother of ances and all the pounds, pretty nearly a ton. How was Wells. To these parents have the mother of the clean that heard of some children living in this (Morgan) dentity and hearth the father of the father of the children to exhibit them publicly. I concluded to see them. Last week I visited the residence of their parents on Licking river, just above the mouth of Lacy's creek. Both the parents were born in this county and have resided here nearly all their lives, and are of ancestry noted for angelic light; dive into the father of the county and health fulness. The ather is forty-two years of age, the mother being some years younger, and both have always been in good \$400,000 leaves something over 1,851 kapped to the parents were born in this county and health. The fathers name is James Elam, and the mother's maiden name was Wells. To these parents have the parents will not think us pertinent in sending that Mr. Rice of Jefferson-the father in sending that Mr. Rice of Jef Mt. Sterling Sentinel.

pounds, pretty nearly a ton. How far up the hill did you carry that, did you say?',

The old pioneer looked at thee lerk are three of the children having peare three of the children having peculiar skin. The names are William, George and Mollie aged respectively twelve, seven and three years. The peculiarity consists in their skin being rough and thick, having scales resembling the skin of a snake after it has shed in the spring of the year. The entire surface of the body is thus affected. In some places on the body affected. In some places on the body the skin is in folds or wrinkles. At three days old the skin began to peel off in scales and has continued to the There was much gamption evinced by that particular darky whose master was a surgeon, who had performed on another darky an operation requiring a high degree of skill. This latter darky was well-to-do, and the surgeon charged him twenty-five dollars for the operation. Meeting the doctor's servant afterward this dished to the present. They never sweat and suffer greatly in warm weather. They find relief in frequently bathing and are often found in water. Their eyes are nearly round, and there is much surgeon charged him twenty-five dollars for the operation. Meeting the doctor's servant afterward this dished to the present. They never sweat and suffer greatly in the suffer of the present. They never sweat and suffer greatly in the present. They never sweat and suffer greatly in the present. They never sweat and suffer greatly in the first find a relief in frequently bathing and are often found in water. Their eyes are nearly round, and there is much suffer greatly in the life in frequently bathing and are often found in water. Their eyes are nearly round, and there is much surgeon charged him twenty-five dollars for the operation. Meeting the first first first first first first first first first five dollars for the operation. They have hair on their first fir healthy and ordinarily intelligent, and but for the peculiarity mentioned, look and act like other children. Their older sister, about 15 years of

age, is a beautiful and intelligent girl, and their little brother, aged 5 years, is a very bright and handsome little tellow. The boys are engaged to Mr. Rice to be exhibited and are

ments contrary to my observation.

I hope, especially for the sake of the children, Mr. Bloe may receive a liberal patronage from the public.

H.

NUMBER 46.

"Here's Your Mule!"

TRUE ORIGIN OF THIS ONCE FAMOUS

SOUTHERN PHRASE.

not originate with them. The mule

Women and Girls in English

proportion of women employed is said to be decreasing; but the fact

Selling the Old Horse.

The Adams Express Company has

"Old Horse," where all unclaimed

crowd attending the sale was afford-

by the way in which many of

Saturday afternoon somebody paid

which looked as if it had been put

np with care, and on op ening it found,

nothing but almanaes. Some fare

better, however,. One man bought

a case for a triffing sum, and found

among other things a fine watch and

ble article can be found in the vari-

ous packages, valises containing un-

derwear, jewelry, photograph-, boxes

of medicine, wall paper, samples of

all sorts; in fact everything that can

be sent by express .- [Post and News

A timid person says she fancies

every man she meets now-a-days is

probably a murderer, a defaulter, or

a detective, and that one is just as bad

as the other.

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is Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. We there- badly sold. Almost every conceiva-

room in its building called the

Noticing the communication of the cloquent and gitted Hiram in the

instissue of your valuable paper, we feel that he is inclined to boast his section as "all the world" to him. Ours is not all the world to us, but we are proud, nevertheless, that we have a glorious people over this way too. All we need is a little stirring Hopkinsville on the eve of the 20th, translated into the more substantial (?) joys of conjugatiove. On the evening of the 21st they returned to their own community and were re-gated with a glorious feast of good things at Mr. George Hill's residence.
We wish them all success and extend
the usual congratulatione. We wonder "who'll be the next to follow—?" We hear it rumored there will be a double-wedding in this neighbor-

fond of visititing our community, and have become so fascinated(?) with our young Doctor that they have threatened to "hang him be tween the heavens and the earth. He says he is on the watch and ready to abscord at the first sign of their

appearance. He does not wish to be hung to either of them.

Some of our neighborhood ladies were not a little disappointed on the so potent are often produced that the manipulator is prostrated. The Stevans institute of Technology of Hospital boken has a coil which yields sparks twenty-one inches in length, which penetrates glass blocks three inches in thickness. The great induction and a new shawl, an other and got over that, but the phrase was in use till the close of the war. We think it originated as described above, in the Second Kentuscky Regiment, C. S. A. in September, 1861.

We men and Girls in English where we have described and called her mother and several use till the close of the war. We think it originated. The spar distinctly that which we have described above, in the Second Kentuscky Regiment, C. S. A. in September, 1861.

We men and Girls in English wiew. was looking for her fellow. Bro. Spurile, please remember the young

of the moral vineyard."
Mr. Editor, is temperance dead?

knows what we mean.
We hope your former correspondents "Greenie" will not think us per-

#### ELKTON.

"Mat. boom! boom!!" Bristow and Duffy talk about

Miss Lucy Lacy, of Auburn, is in Mr. E. B. Weathers has removed his drug store to the side of the Pub-

lie Square. Mr. Wm. Washington is now having some improvements made on his Miss Eva Hackney, of Tenn., is the guest of Miss Nellie Willoughby. Saturday afternoon somehous

On the 19th, in Elkton, Mr. Chas, 75 cents for a box, and was disgusted Lewis, of this county, married Miss on finding it full of Dr. Pierce's pattern on misses Sergent and Hancock, of Green county are now visiting Elk. fellow bid a dollar for a large box

Mr. W. W. Legrand, of New Hayan. Conn., was in the city not long to the great amusement of crowd, Mr. S. D. Sullivan is on a southern

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#### WHAT WAS IT?

### A Man Descends from a Cloudless

In this sensational country, when startling events crowd one another Some New York World correspondents have been endeavoring to thick and fast, what transpired in the give the origin of the expression presence of some unsophisticated 'Here's your mule," once so common country folk living in the eastern porin the Confederate army. It did not tion of this county a few days since, originate in Morgan's command, as may not elicit more than a passing supposed, nor yet in the Webster- notice and, it may be, a skeptical Calhoun cartoon. We believe we sneer from the workly reader. But can come nearer the correct origin of knowing Abe Goodpaster, his wie the phrase that any one who has yet and his aged mother to be honest, Kentucky Infantry, commanded by truthful teputable citizens, living a Col. Roger Hanson, was organized at Camp Boone, Montgomery county, Tennessee, in July, 1861. No arm or story worthy of more than passing nooutrements were issued to the tice and therefore give it to our read-

men (save some useless old muskets ers as told to us: for drilling purpose) until the very day on which the advance into Ken-day evening, the 7th inst., Mrs. Goodtucky was begun, which, as near as paster stepped from her house into the we can remember, was about the 19th yard to hang out some clothes which of September. When the "trick" she had been washing. The sky was were issued the men were ordered to a perfect azure blue and not a cloud them did to such an extent that when was to be seen. Presently there apthey sluoz them on their shoulders, peared high up in the heavens an obthe idea of pack mules was suggested, ject of such nunsual appearance that and almost justantly some one the attention of Mrs. Goodpaster should, "Here's your mule!" In was at once riveted. Slowly it deless than five minutes every man in scended to within twenty feet of the there if you have anything—well, the regiment was yelling, "Here's earth, seemingly about seventy-nve ples and things.

We learn from good authority that drive him out!" and expressions of oil field. Here it assumed the form the regiment was yelling, "Here's earth, seemingly about seventy-five some of the sons of Trigg county are like character. This was a month or of a man of m jestic and commanding six weeks before Morgan and his men appearance. A series of graceful went South; therefore the saying did gesticulations with the hands were first gone through with and then the idea was peculiarly a Kentucky one, figure with bowed head assumed a deand the words at first had reference to the enormous size and weight or votional attitude. Somewhat recoverthe Luapsacks some of the men under. ed by this time from the wendering took to carry, many of them weighing surprise which chained her to the spot, fifty to sixty pounds. The boys soon Mrs. Good; aster rushed into the house

Other persons in different parts of tufe in London gives miniature lightning flashes twenty-nine inches in length. Either of these machines would give ample discharge to kill simultaneously more men than have ever been hanged in company in this company in this sight the moral vineyard."

Spurille, please remember the young steers next time.

A protracted meeting will begin at like are still nearly 5,000 women and girls employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed that the neighborhood saw an unnatural object in the sky the same evening, some of whom thought it was a balmines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed with the neighborhood saw an unnatural object in the sky the same evening, some of whom thought it was a balmines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed with the neighborhood saw an unnatural object in the sky the same evening, some of whom thought it was a balmines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed with the neighborhood saw an unnatural object in the sky the same evening, some of whom thought it was a balmines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. In the official summary of persons employed about the coal mines of Great Britain. Mrs. Goodpaster, her mother and chilin and about the mines, under the Coal Mines Act, is stated that 21 fe. dren honestly believe they saw a man

and 18, there are 981 girls employed the Burlington Hawkeye, says: One above these mines, Cornwall and the morning 1 walked out by myself. bulk; and there are also 1,741 females were busy in the meadows moving above the age of 18 employed, Corn- and turning their hay. A couple of regularly ordained tramps, idle and wall, North Wales, and Ireland employing all these except 20; and of aimless as myself, and much better this score, somewhat singularly, the acquainted with the road, passed me, chief part are employed in the North and I tagged along in their lounging of England, which has been remarka- wake. Presently the voice of a farbly free from women's work in the mer came over the sweet-scented

unfit employment of mining. The meadow: "Hallo !" The tramps balted, "Hallo yourself!" shouted one of them.

said to be decreasing; but the fact that girls of such tender ages are put to mining operations, or to work "above ground" at the mines, is a sign that the unsatisfactory symptom is not likely to entirely die out— [Scientific American. "Do you-want to hire?" velled the Judge of my astonishment when

both tramps chorused back: "Yes?" Well, I thought, they aren't Amercan tramps, anyhow, or they would not disgrace the profession in this way. But I stood still to listen and

watch, for it was an unusual sightexpress packages after a certain time two tramps going to work. are sent. Once or twice a year the "Then come over here!" velled the contents of the "Old Horse" are; sold farmer; and the two fellows sprang at auction, and such a sale was had over the fence and trudged across the on Saturday, at Frederick's auction meadow with the brisk air of men room, on Market street. The auction who really wanted work and meant is almost as good as a lottery, sin e business. The farmer stood still none knows what a box or package leaning on his pitchtork, gazing incontains until it is sold and opened. tently at my motionless figure. Pre-Purchasers have to guess at the consently his voice broke the silence tents by the outside appearance. The

once more: "Don't that other fellow want to

ed a goood deal deal of amusement hire, too?"he yelled. The two tramps turned and glanced at me for my reply. I shook my head sally but firmly and moved on, without waiting to hear the farmer's muttured comments on my laziness. An American may die, but he never works.

#### Railway Birds.

An engine driver on one of the Scotch lines reports that he has noticed that certain hawks of the merlin or "stone falcon" species make use of the passing of the trains for predatory purposes. They fly close behind the train, near the ground, partly hidden by the smoke, but carefully watching for the small birds which, trightened by the train as it rushes roaring past, fly up in bewildered shoals; the merlins then, while the little birds are thinking more of the train than of lurking foes, swoop on them from the ambush of the smoke, and strike them down with ease. If they miss, they return to the wake of the carriages and resume. His name was Wrath, and when he their flight and their hunt. They can asked his girl to marry him she gave it seems, easily keep pace with an ex. If "Old dog Tray was ever faithful" Bull's Cough Syrup. The Price is him a soft answer, and a soft answer press train, and outstrip it when they please .- [Scientific American.